filed within the time allowed therefor, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr., Acting Secretary. [FR Doc. 97-371 Filed 1-7-97; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6717-01-M

#### [Docket No. TM97-6-16-000]

# National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation; Notice of Tariff Filing

January 3, 1997.

Take notice that on December 31, 1996, National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation (National) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, Seventeenth Revised Sheet No. 5A. with a proposed effective date of January 1, 1997.

National states that under Article II, Section 1, of the approved settlement approved in Docket Nos. 94-367-000, et al., National is required to recalculate semi-annually the maximum Interruptible Gathering (IG) rate to be effective on July 1 and January 1. The recalculation produced an IG rate of 11 cents per dth.

In addition, pursuant to Article I, Section 4, National is required to redetermine quarterly the Amortization Surcharge to reflect revisions in the Plant to be Amortized, interest and associated taxes, and a change in the determinants. The recalculation produced an Amortization Surcharge of 13.77 cents per dth.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C., 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 or 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 or 385.214). All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on

file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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#### [Docket No. LP97-167-000]

### **Natural Gas Pipeline Company of** America; Notice of Request Under **Blanket Authorization**

January 2, 1997.

Take notice that on December 23, 1996, Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America (Natural), 701 East 22nd Street, Lombard, Illinois 60148, filed in the above docket a request pursuant to Sections 157.205 and 157.212 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act for authority to operate an existing delivery point located in Love County, Oklahoma, that was originally constructed as a receipt point to deliver natural gas to Texaco Exploration & Production, Inc. (Texaco), a producer; and to provide Natural Gas Act jurisdictional service, including transportation services under Subpart G of Part 284 of the Commission's Regulations at such delivery point, all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Natural states that it can deliver up to approximately 1,000 MMBtu per day of natural gas to Texaco. Natural states that it has sufficient capacity to provide these services at the proposed delivery point without detriment or disadvantage to Natural's peak day and annual delivery capacity.

Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after issuance of the instant notice by the Commission, file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to Section 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefor, the proposed activity is deemed to be authorized effective on the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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#### [Docket No. RP97-57-000]

## NorAm Gas Transmission Company; **Notice of Cancellation of Technical** Conference

January 3, 1997.

Take notice that the technical conference originally scheduled to be held on Thursday, January 8, 1997, has been canceled until further notice. See also 61 FR 67007, Dec. 19, 1996.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

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Acting Secretary.

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# [Docket No. RP97-16-001]

# Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

January 2, 1997.

Take notice that on December 23, 1996, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern) tendered for filing changes in its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1. Northern asserts that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Commission's order issued October 31, 1996, in Docket No. RP97-16-000.

Northern states that this filing is to establish the revised 1996-1997 SBA Cost Recovery surcharge rate. Therefore, Northern states that it is filing 31 Revised Sheet Nos. 50 and 51 and 6 Revised Sheet No. 53 to revise these surcharges effective January 1, 1997.

Northern states that copies of its filing were served upon the company's customers and interested state commissions.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests must be filed as provided in Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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